

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L PEKING 0839

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: ESTC CH US  
SUBJ: IBM VISITATION TO SHENYANG BLOWER WORKS

REF: STATE 78857

WE AGREE THAT OPEN-ENDED OFFER TO HONOR IBM REQUEST TO  
VISIT SHENYANG BLOWER WORKS IS A NEW WRINKLE IN CHINESE  
EFFORTS TO MEET COCOM SAFEGUARDS INFORMALLY. IT IS  
SIMILAR TO PREVIOUS ARRANGEMENTS FOR MAINTENANCE WITH  
CDC AND OTHER FIRMS WITH TWO IMPORTANT DIFFERENCES.  
FIRST, THE PRC REALLY NEEDS THE MAINTENANCE AND,  
SECOND, THE PERIOD IS USUALLY NO MORE THAN TWO YEARS.  
WE BELIEVE THIS IS A SIGNIFICANT IMPROVEMENT IN PRC  
ATTITUDES TOWARD MEETING COCOM REQUIREMENTS WITHOUT  
ACCORDING THEM FORMAL RECOGNITION.  
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